

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please replace the paragraph starting at page 10, line ¹⁶~~24~~, and ending at page 11, line 2, with the following amended paragraph:

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--Fig. 3A shows a case where a paper direction is landscape and left end binding is effected, and Fig. 3B shows a case where a paper direction is portrait and upper end binding is effected. For example, in case of the landscape, by performing fold-up at the middle (between areas B and C) of the paper and fold-down at the middle (between areas C and D) of the right half of the paper, the areas B, C are concealed and only areas A, ~~[[B]]~~ D are appeared as a front surface. By effecting the Z-fold, the original paper size of A4 is folded into A3 size, and 11x17 size paper is folded into LETTER size. Incidentally, depending upon the binding direction of the paper, since the folding positions are changed, the sheet shape after folding is also changed.--

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Please replace the paragraph starting at page 20, line ¹⁵~~24~~, and ending at page 21, line 1, with the following amendment paragraph:

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--Figs. 9A and 9B are views for explaining a print designation enable area for header/footer information in the third embodiment, in a case where the paper direction is portrait and the left end binding is effected. Fig. 9A shows a Z-fold paper before Z-folding (opened condition) and Fig. 9B shows the Z-fold paper after Z-folding (output result). Similar to Figs. 7A to 7C, the front surface of the Z-fold paper is divided into areas A, B, C and D. Incidentally, since the areas B and ~~[[D]]~~ C are concealed after the Z-folding, these areas are also referred to as

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